

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 56th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON TAXATION

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN CHASE HIBBARD**, on January 5, 1999 at 9:00 A.M., in Room 437 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Chase Hibbard, Chairman (R)
Rep. Kim Gillan, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Bob Story, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Gary Beck (D)
Rep. Rick Dale (R)
Rep. Bob Davies (R)
Rep. Ron Erickson (D)
Rep. Daniel Fuchs (R)
Rep. Mary Anne Guggenheim (D)
Rep. Marian Hanson (R)
Rep. Hal Harper (D)
Rep. Dan Harrington (D)
Rep. John L Holden (R)
Rep. Verdell Jackson (R)
Rep. Scott J Orr (R)
Rep. Bob Raney (D)
Rep. Bill Rehbein (R)
Rep. Sam Rose (R)
Rep. Trudi Schmidt (D)
Rep. Roger Somerville (R)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Donna Grace, Committee Secretary
Jeff Martin, Legislative Branch

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing(s) & Date(s) Posted:	None
Executive Action:	None

Chairman Hibbard welcomed the Committee and asked each member of the Committee and the staff to introduce themselves.

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Committee procedures were discussed.

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Mary Bryson, Director, Department of Revenue (DOR) addressed the Committee. **EXHIBIT(tah02a01)**, Guide to Taxes.

EXHIBIT(tah02a02) Biennial Report of the Montana Department of Revenue. **Director Bryson** provided an overview of the DOR and discussed the reorganization of the Department.

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Gene Walborn, DOR, reviewed the tax structure in place in Montana.

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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 12:05 P.M.

REP. CHASE HIBBARD, Chairman

DONNA GRACE, Secretary

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EXHIBIT (tah02aad)